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Applicant: Giardello, et. al.

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For: POLYOLEFIN
COMPOSITIONS HAVING VARIABLE
TOUGHNESS AND/OR HARDNESS

Examiner: Teskin, F.

GAU: 1713

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R.
§1.146 TO OFFICE ACTION
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Restriction Requirement mailed September 27, 2000, Applicants elect with traverse the species of the polyolefin/modulator composition of polydicyclopentadiene with a poly(dimethylsiloxane) modifier as disclosed on page 23 of the Specification and the article of clubs (including weight club heads) as disclosed on page 9 of the Specification. At least Claims 1-8, and 18-20, 22-23 are readable upon the elected species.

This response is being timely filed on October 25, 2000. If additional fees are due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-3975.

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The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned representative if it is believed that an interview may be useful for any reason.

Dated: October 25, 2000

Respectfully submitted,



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